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US ROUTE 3 REHABILITATION CONTINUES IN MERRIMACK-NASHUA WORK TO BEGIN ON HALF-MILE SECTION IN NASHUA

The New Hampshire Department of Transportation announces pavement rehabilitation work is scheduled to begin the week of April 18, 2005 on a one-half mile section of US Route 3 in Nashua from just south of the intersection with Henri Burque Highway to the Merrimack Town Line. This work will take an estimated eight weeks to complete.

Traffic shifts and one-way alternating traffic will be used between the hours of 6:00 am and 3:00 pm in order to perform the work. Delays can be expected during high traffic volume periods and when one-way traffic is in effect. Uniformed officers and flaggers will be used to assist traffic through the work zone.

This US Route 3 work is part of a larger project that includes the rehabilitation of 3.5 miles of US 3 in Merrimack between the Nashua city line and Greeley Street.

Pike Industries of Belmont, New Hampshire is the general contractor for the \$3.47 million project, which has a final completion date of July 29, 2005.